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**SUBJECT Extension Request for Site Assessment Report and Relocation of
Proposed Monitoring Wells**

Former ExxonMobil Jalk Fee Property
10607 Norwalk Boulevard
Santa Fe Springs, California
CRWQCB-LAR Case No. 0203; Site I.D. No. 1848000

Dr. Chang:

At the request of ExxonMobil Environmental Services (EMES), on behalf of ExxonMobil Production Company (ExxonMobil), Cardno ERI has prepared this letter to request an extension for submittal of a site assessment report and propose relocation of two of the planned groundwater monitoring wells for the above-referenced site. The report was required by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board – Los Angeles Region (CRWQCB-LAR) in its letter dated December 2, 2010, which approved Cardno ERI's *Work Plan for Site Assessment Activities* dated November 1, 2010 (Work Plan).

Cardno ERI's Work Plan proposed the installation of one off-site and two on-site groundwater monitoring wells. The off-site well was to be installed in Norwalk Boulevard, however, during the permitting process, the City of Santa Fe Springs (City) stated it has a new policy which does not allow installation of wells in any City street. Therefore, the proposed well is being relocated to the sidewalk along the east side of Norwalk Boulevard (Plate 1). Additionally, the City has required significant non-standard insurance requirements as part of the encroachment permitting process, which Cardno ERI's insurance company and the City have been negotiating. It is anticipated that the encroachment permit will be issued during the week of February 21st, 2011.

The proposed upgradient monitoring well location is in front of the door of the warehouse for Coast Aluminum, which is heavily trafficked by trucks, therefore it is proposed to move the well to the location depicted on Plate 1, to minimize interference with the operations of the on-site businesses.

Based upon the length of time required to obtain an encroachment permit from the City for the proposed off-site well, Cardno ERI, on behalf of ExxonMobil, respectfully requests an extension for submission of the required site assessment report to May 1, 2011. Upon obtaining the permit, the installation of the three wells will be promptly scheduled, followed by performance of a groundwater monitoring event, analysis of the laboratory samples, and preparation of the well installation and sampling report.



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For any questions concerning this extension request, please contact Mr. James Anderson at 805 644 4157, extension 181805.

Sincerely,

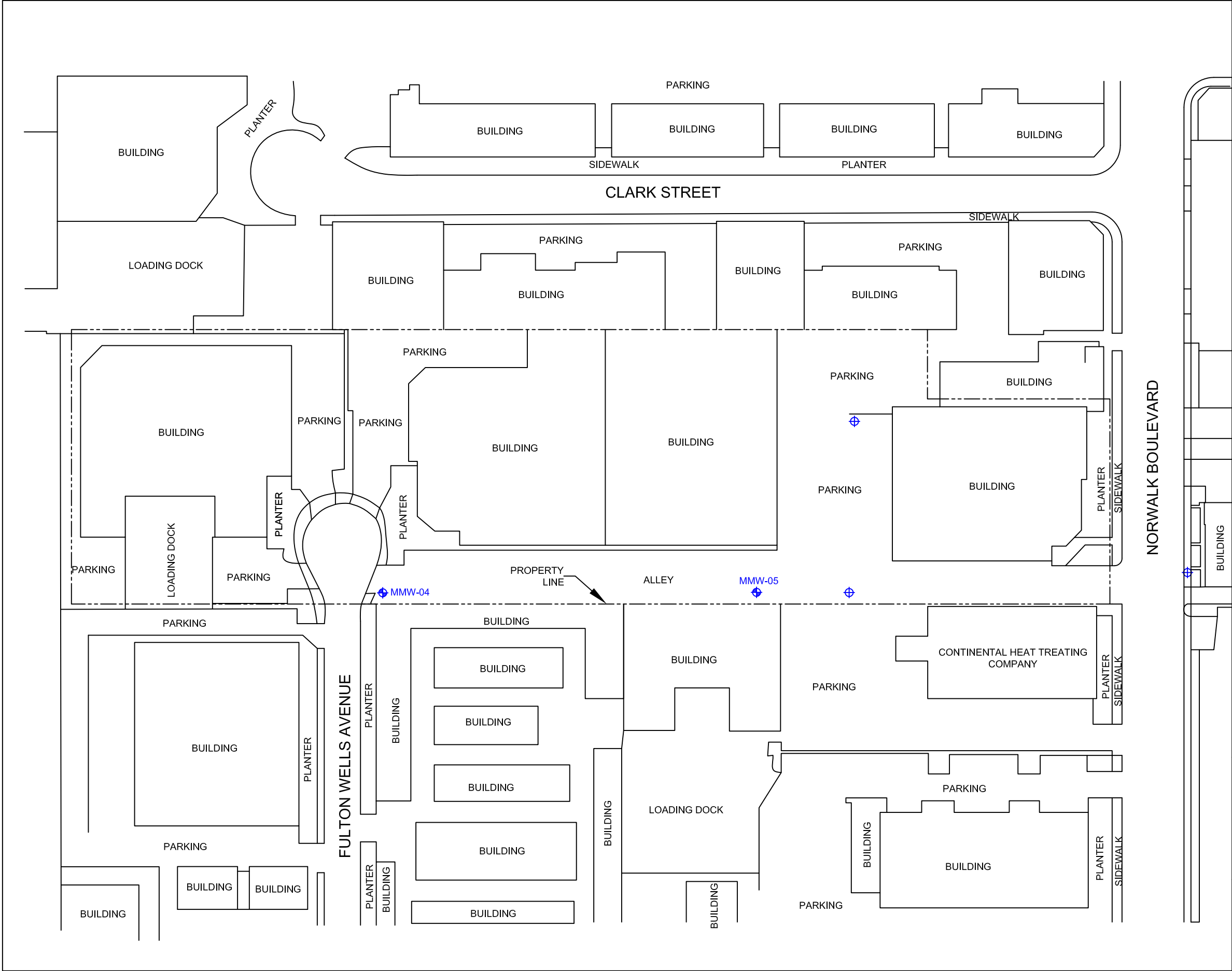
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'James Anderson', is positioned above the printed name.

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Enclosure:

Plate 1 Generalized Site Plan



EXPLANATION

MMW-05 Groundwater monitoring well

Proposed groundwater monitoring well

SOURCE:
Modified from a map
provided by
GOOGLE EARTH

APPROXIMATE SCALE

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GENERALIZED SITE PLAN

FORMER EXXONMOBIL JALK FEE PROPERTY
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Santa Fe Springs, California

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PLATE
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DATE: 02/17/11